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For: METHOD FOR TESTING PHYSICAL LAYER DEVICE AND TEST CIRCUIT
AND TRANSMISSION/RECEPTION CIRCUIT WITH TEST CIRCUIT

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 Applicant claims small entity status. See 37 CFR 1.27.
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 A certified copy of Japanese Patent Application No. 2000-162546 filed May 31, 2000 from which priority is claimed under 35 U.S.C. § 119 will follow.
 IDS enclosed (with reference(s)).
 Preliminary Amendment is enclosed.
 Application data sheet is enclosed. See 37 CFR 1.76.
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A TOTAL CLAIMS FEE	13	-20	0	LG=\$18 SM=\$9	\$18	0	
B INDEPENDENT CLAIMS FEE*	1	-3	0	LG=\$80 SM=\$40	\$80	0	
C SUBTOTAL - ADDITIONAL CLAIMS FEE (ADD FINAL COLUMN IN LINES A + B)						0	
D MULTIPLE-DEPENDENT CLAIMS FEE				LARGE ENTITY FEE = \$270 SMALL ENTITY FEE = \$135		\$ 0	
E BASIC FEE				LARGE ENTITY FEE = \$710 SMALL ENTITY FEE = \$355		\$ 710	
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